

PORTSMOUTH LOCAL NEWS AND ADVERTISEMENTS

ITEMS GATHERED HERE AND THERE

Miscellaneous Happenings Condensed For Virginian-Pilot Readers.

MOVEMENTS OF PEOPLE

What is Going On in and Around Portsmouth and Suburban Communities Gathered, Aired and Told in Few Words—The Past, the Present and the Future Revealed, Related and Foreshadowed.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Johnson, of Charlotte, N. C., are the guests of Mrs. S. O. Dodd, at 511 High street.

Officer Harry Hall arrested a colored man last night for carrying concealed weapons. He was on a bicycle, and the pistol showed so plainly that the officer saw it and made the arrest.

You can rent hall of Mr. Benson's cottage in Cottage Place. See advertisement.

Do you want to buy a parlor suit cheap? See small ad.

Beulah Savage, of Suffolk, is visiting friends in Park View.

To-day's issue Miss Annie Stokes gives notice that her fall and winter opening will take place on Wednesday, the 27th instant. She has on hand the largest stock of goods that she has ever had, and it has been selected with much care.

Mrs. Joseph E. Brown and children are visiting friends at Whiteville, Va. They will be gone about a week.

The eighth game of the King's Daughters' series of ball games will be played Tuesday, between the Atlantic City and the Athletics.

Mrs. J. W. Mitchell returned last night from Christiansburg, Va., where she has been spending several weeks.

Mr. Myers' residence in Prentiss Place was robbed Friday night. Mr. Myers had his clothes and a new overcoat stolen.

A negro cook stole a pocketbook containing \$17 from a lady on Washington street. When accused of it, she threw the book and money in the back yard and then left.

A Attention Independents. See notice calling you to assemble at your engine house at 8 o'clock Tuesday morning, in full uniform, to proceed to Roanoke.

Miss C. C. Peed is quite sick at her residence.

Your attention is called to the "ad," which speaks of fine household furniture for sale at a sacrifice at Northland Cooke streets.

Rev. J. W. Mitchell, pastor of the South Street Baptist Church, of this city, has been assisting Rev. Mr. Riddick during the last week, at Deep Creek, in an interesting series of meetings.

The Police Court yesterday Sallie Mills, Cora Powell, Maria Ray and Francis Ray were arraigned for assaulting Annie Bangle with a brick. The Mills woman was fined \$5.00 and the Ray woman \$2.50, and costs and the rest were discharged from custody.

Mills failed to pay, so will have to stay in jail ten days.

The Rev. W. F. Fisher will occupy the pulpit of Rev. J. P. Essex, of Carverville, Va., to-day. The latter named gentleman will preach for him at his church.

Dr. W. J. Young will make the address before the Sunday School Association at Park View M. E. Church this afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Rev. F. P. Beadles, having returned from Madison, Va., will fill his pulpit at Central M. E. Church to-day.

The communication of M. F. H., which was sent to this office, was consigned to the waste basket on account of the writer not signing his name.

The merchants under Hotel Portsmouth were treated to a present yesterday in the shape of a notice that on January 1st, 1900, their rent would be raised \$50 per month. Some of the expressions were not suitable for a printer's book.

A small colored boy threw a shell yesterday on Columbia street, near Middle street, and struck a little white girl in the eye, nearly putting it out. The case was reported to the police.

Quite a number of people will leave to-night for New York, to be present at the Dewey celebration, which takes place on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of this week.

The delegates to the Premier's Association, also the Independent Fire Company, will leave for Roanoke on Tuesday morning.

The dust is terrible. Stores and homes both are suffering from the effect of it.

There has been no equinox storm yet.

The employees of the yard will be paid to-morrow for the first half of September.

Hon. J. T. Baird returned yesterday from a week's stay in Hampton.

The annual meeting of the Portsmouth Baptist Association will be held at the Berkeley Baptist Church on Tuesday next and will continue for two or three days.

House No. 418 County street is offered for rent at \$15 per month. For particulars see ad.

John A. J. Phillips tells you about fire insurances for this week for double fire insurances and other goods, which are too numerous to mention.

Mr. R. S. Brooks tells you that he has some cheap houses and lots for sale in Exchange Place, Park View and elsewhere in the city, which he will sell on easy terms; also \$20.00 to loan on long time.

A cheap room house is offered for rent, see ad.

Mr. W. J. W. tells you if you want a parlor suit cheap, see Snow Flake clear, which you will find for sale at all first-class stores.

John T. Riley, chief machinist of the S. S. Lancaster, arrived home yesterday to visit his family a few days. His ship is at Tompkinsville.

John C. Parker, of Southampton, arrived in the city yesterday on business.

Allen Wilson, of Suffolk, was in the city yesterday for a few hours, on business, and highly respected.

At her home on Carroll street, Mrs. J. H. Phillips yesterday, in the 34th year of her age.

Judge Prentiss adjourned the Norfolk County Circuit Court yesterday for this term.

The Independent Fire Company sent their parade carriage to Roanoke yesterday. The company will leave on Tuesday morning in unit, on the occasion being the annual meeting of the Virginia State Firemen's Association.

Rev. W. D. Buckner, of Arkansas, will preach at Trinity Episcopal Church to-night.

Attention is called to "ad." of F. L. Crocker, special commissioner, in which he announces that he will offer for sale by John C. Nemyer, auctioneer, that valuable land known as "the Lloyd Running farm," situated in Norfolk county.

CHIEF RYAN'S THANKS.

He Sends a Letter of Appreciation to Chief Frederick Wierdorf.

Chief Frederick Wierdorf, of the Portsmouth Fire Department, received yesterday, by mail, the following letter from Chief Ryan, of Norfolk, which reads as follows:

My Dear Chief, I am writing you this letter to express my sincere thanks to you and your department for your prompt response to my call and valuable assistance rendered at the hospital fire of the 21st instant.

I highly appreciate your kindness and the manner in which the men worked, and hold myself ready to assist you in any manner when needed.

I cannot speak too highly of your men, their willingness to hard work speaks for itself, and their assistance was invaluable.

Please express my heart-felt thanks to you and all.

Sincerely yours,
MARTIN J. RYAN,
Chief Fire Department.

BASEBALL YESTERDAY.

The All Americas Win their Sixth Straight Game.

The game at Columbia Park yesterday afternoon, between the All Americas and the Athletics, was a very one-sided affair, the All Americas winning by a score of 23 to 1.

Saunders, who started in to pitch for the Athletics, but was very wild and was also hit very hard. Kaufman, on the other hand, while not at his best, was able to keep the Athletics from bunting more than one hit in any inning except the seventh, when two singles were made. Henderson relieved Saunders in the sixth inning and held the Athletics there, were no special features. Below is the score by innings:

R.H.E.
All Americas 7 4 0 7 0 3 2—23 14
Athletics 0 0 0 1 0 0 0—1 6 7

Batteries: Kaufman and Armstrong; Saunders, Henderson and O'Brien. Umpire—Edwards and McCarroll.

A DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

By reference to our advertising columns, it will be seen that the firm of Brandt & Wise, doing business in Richmond, Va., has been dissolved. Mr. Brandt assuming all liabilities, and will collect all money due said firm. In consideration of the dissolution they have removed the entire stock of merchant tailoring to this city, and for that reason they have inaugurated the sale which will begin to-morrow. They offer patterns at such prices as never was heard of before to dispose of them. They are new, fresh and nobby. Every garment is guaranteed. Those who want to secure a nice fall suit, better call early. They also offer the fixtures of the said store for sale. They can be seen at Brandt & Co., store.

ASSOCIATION MEETINGS TO-DAY.

The Portsmouth and Norfolk County Baptist Sunday School Association will hold its regular monthly meeting at the West Norfolk Baptist Church this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock. The meeting will be addressed by the Rev. W. V. Savage, of Churchland.

The regular monthly meeting of the Methodist Sunday School Association will be held this afternoon at 4 o'clock at the Park View Church. An interesting program has been arranged for the occasion and the Rev. Dr. Young will make the address. An enjoyable programme has been arranged for both occasions.

GRAND FALL OPENING.

In this issue Messrs. Corman & McHugh, 229-231 High street, notify their patrons and the public generally that their grand annual fall opening of imported and domestic pattern hats will take place Wednesday, September 27th. If you are not ready to buy just yet, your attendance is requested, as they will then have an opportunity to show you what the styles will be in ladies' headwear. They will show you some of the prettiest and most stylish hats possible to conceive, and your time will not be wasted. Don't forget that the opening takes place Wednesday next.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

A. B. Warner, special commissioner, to Edward McDonnell, lot with appurtenances on Fayette street, near Fifth street, \$455. City.

John J. Hopkins, et ux., to Jennie Legum, two improved lots in Ninth street, Berkeley; \$150 and the assumption of a debt of \$310. County.

James Shaw, to Elizabeth J. Barcroft, improved lot corner Williams and Percy streets; \$500. County.

YOUNG MEN'S MEETING.

The meeting for young men at the Y. M. C. A. building to-day at 11 a. m. will be addressed by Mr. R. M. Hubbard, of Norfolk Association. Mr. Hubbard is an experienced speaker and we feel assured that all who come to the Y. M. C. A. will be very much benefited. All men come and hear a good talk.

Boys' Gospel Army will meet at 3 p. m. Captain E. L. Dashiell will give a short talk.

MUSICAL AND LITERARY ENTERTAINMENT.

The Sunday School Workers Society of Wright Memorial Church will give a musical and literary entertainment to-morrow (Monday) night at 8 o'clock. Some of the best local talent have been secured, and besides, several highly interesting recitations will be rendered.

At the conclusion of the exercises refreshments will be served at a small cost. The proceeds are to be used in liquidating the debt on their Sunday school room. It is, therefore, hoped that they will be liberally patronized. No charge for admission.

Only first-class Mechanical Tailoring done at Dorin Bros.—the only ones that employ Union Tailors in Portsmouth.

CONCERNING RELIGIOUS MATTERS.

The Churches in the City and What Will be Done in Them.

South Street Baptist Church, corner South and Bingham streets, Rev. J. W. Mitchell, pastor—Services to-day as follows: Sunday school at 9:30 a. m., George H. Ballance, superintendent. Preaching by the pastor at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. by Rev. J. T. Riddick, of Guilford, at 8 p. m.

Owens Memorial M. E. Church, South, Rev. R. T. Waterfield, pastor—Sunday school at 9:15 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. by the pastor. A cordial welcome to all.

Park View M. E. Church, Rev. Wm. P. Hines, pastor—Sunday school at 9:15 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. by the pastor.

Fourth Street Baptist Church—Sunday school at 9:15 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. by Rev. J. P. Essex, of Carverville, Va. Prayer meeting at 5 p. m.

Central Catholic Church (Kings street, near Dinwiddie), Rev. T. J. Brady, pastor; Rev. Wm. B. Hanley, assistant pastor—First mass at 7 a. m. Children's mass at 9 a. m. High mass at 10:30 a. m. Vespers and benediction at 7:30 p. m.

Park View Baptist Church, Rev. W. P. Hines, pastor—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching by the pastor at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Morning subject, "The Revelation of Heavenly Wisdom." Evening, "The Devil's Desire." The public cordially invited to these services.

Central M. E. Church, South, Rev. R. F. Beadles, pastor—Sunday school at 9:15 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. by the pastor. Morning subject, "Isaac on Abraham's Altar" (by request). Evening, "A Voice Heard by Three Frightened Men."

Central Mission—Sunday school at 3:30 p. m. Preaching by Rev. R. F. Beadles at 4:30 p. m.

Court Street Baptist Church—Preaching by the pastor, Rev. R. B. Garrett, D. D., at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Strangers invited.

Calvary Baptist Church, Rev. Samuel Saunders, pastor—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. P. Rodman, superintendent. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. A cordial welcome to all of these meetings.

First Presbyterian Church, corner Court and King streets, Rev. R. B. Eggleston, pastor—Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. by the pastor. Cordial welcome will be extended to all worshippers.

Prentiss Place Presbyterian Chapel—Sunday school at 3:30 p. m. and preaching by Rev. C. W. Maxwell, of Norfolk, at 4:30 p. m. Heartily welcome to old and young.

Tal Memorial Presbyterian Church, North Portsmouth (Pinner's Point)—Sunday school at 3 p. m. and preaching by Rev. R. B. Eggleston at p. m. A cordial invitation to the public.

Wright Memorial M. E. Church, corner of Fourth and Randolph streets—Preaching by the pastor, R. B. Eggleston, at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. All invited.

Port Norfolk M. E. Church, Rev. J. P. Carey, pastor—Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Morning subject, "The Source of the Church's Strength." Evening subject, "Retribution."

A DANGEROUS PLACE.

The corner of Middle and County streets is a dangerous place for children to play on account of there being two electric cars that turn there nearly at the same time, and oftentimes they turn quite fast. A few days ago a small child came near being killed at this point. Due to the presence of mind of Mr. Frank Cole, it would have met death. Friday the same gentleman saw a small child attempt to cross in front of a car just as it turned the corner. The motorman did all he could to stop the car, but was unable to do so. Mr. Cole, who was sitting in his father's store door, jumped out at the risk of his own life and grabbed the child by the arm and pulled her off the track just as the car passed. Otherwise she would have been instantly killed.

LATEST NAVAL NEWS.

Lieut. J. L. Latimer, detached from duty in the bureau of ordnance and ordered to the Erie as executive officer.

Lieut. B. K. Morris, promoted.

Lieut. J. H. Oliver, detached from the torpedo station and ordered to the Yankton.

Lieut.-Com. C. J. Badger, detached from duty in connection with the Kentucky and ordered to the Alabama.

Com. R. T. Jesper, retired.

Lieut. P. Symington, detached from the Eagle and ordered home to await orders.

Lieut.-Com. J. M. Robinson's orders directing him to report to the Washington Navy-yard are revoked.

BEAUTIFUL FALL GOODS.

Under the above head, Mr. W. C. Nash announces that he has just received a full stock of fall goods of all kinds of plaids, black and colored cretonne, ranging from \$1 to \$4 per yard. Also as full a line of broadcloth as has ever been exhibited in this city. He has a full stock of fine fall underwear and everything that is kept in first-class dry goods store. See advertisement.

EVENTS TO-MORROW.

Graves Battery, Virginia Volunteers. Board of Health, Council Chamber. Portsmouth Lodge, No. 16, K. of P. Chesapeake Lodge, No. 1150, K. of H. Tidewater Lodge, No. 66, I. O. O. F. Portsmouth Lodge, No. 82, I. O. O. F. Benevolent Christian Union, Charity.

BROKE HER ARM.

Yesterday morning a little 6-year-old child of Mr. Armstrong, who lives on Cook street, accidentally fell down the stairs at her father's residence and broke her arm at the elbow. "Dr. F. S. Hone was called in and set the limb.

See the display of beautiful imported suitings at Dorin Bros., 316 High street.

We keep every shape of collars. Let us sell you your collars. Chas. R. Welton & Co.

Headquarters I. F. Co. No. 1. Portsmouth, Va., Sept. 23d, 1899.

ATTENTION INDEPENDENTS—YOU are hereby ordered to assemble at your hall, in full uniform, and fatigue caps, TUESDAY MORNING, September 26th, at 8 o'clock, to take part in thirtieth Premier's Convention at Roanoke, Va.

Meeting Monday evening at 8 o'clock to perfect arrangements.

By order of Foreman,
D. R. RENSHAW, Sec'y.

FOR HOUSE OF DELEGATES.

Subject to Democratic Primary, October 11th.

FOR RENT—ONE-HALF BENSON'S Cottage, Cottage Place.

FOR SALE—A PARLOR SUIT; WILL sell cheap. Bought at once. Apply 201 South street.

FOR RENT—A DESIRABLE BRICK house, bath and gas, Queen street, between Court and Dinwiddie, Portsmouth. Apply NORMAN CASSELL, or Sydney Sherwood.

FOR RENT—EIGHT ROOM HOUSE 434 Randolph street, in good repair. Apply to W. B. LYNCH, 401 Fifth street, Portsmouth.

FOR RENT—HOUSE 4184 COUNTY street, between Court and Dinwiddie; rent \$16 per month; possession given November 1st. Apply to 600 Crawford street, SE-14.

SMOKE "SNOW FLAKE," THE BEST Cigar made. For sale at all first-class cigar counters. Manufactured in Portsmouth by Union Labor. RICH D. GUY, Manager. SE-21.

FOR SALE—AT A SACRIFICE, FINE household furniture and carpets; will sell cheap on account of leaving the city. Apply corner North and Cooke streets. SE-23.

FOR RE-ELECTION HOUSE OF DELEGATES.—CHAS. T. BLAND.—Subject to Democratic Primary, WEDNESDAY, October 11th. SE-22.

BASE BALL!

The eighth game of the Championship series will be played on TUESDAY, THE 26th.

Atlantic City—Athletics.

Benefit King's Daughters' Hospital, Columbia Park, at 3:30 p. m. Admission, 15c; under 14, 5c.

By John C. Nemyer, Auctioneer.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE AND FARM PROPERTY AND LOTS.

Pursuant to a decree of the Circuit Court of Norfolk County rendered on 15th day of September, 1899, in the suit of Margaret Elizabeth Bunting vs. Martha Bunting et al., I shall proceed on THURSDAY, the 5th day of October, 1899, at 12 o'clock m., to sell at public auction before the front door of the Courthouse, in the City of Portsmouth, the following property, of which Lloyd B. Bunting died, seized and possessed:

1st, A CERTAIN TRACT OF LAND situated in Norfolk County, and bounded as follows: Beginning at a corner gum in Mrs. David Beaton's line N. 75 W., 7.31 ch. to a gum; thence running S. 75 W., 1.4 ch. to a pine; thence S. 75 W., 1.72 ch. to a red oak; thence N. 75 W., 1.75 ch. to the middle of a cove, which is on Dr. Bagwell's line; thence up the center of said cove following the meanderings thereof, to a line gum near the head of said cove; thence S. 16 E., 50 links to a stub in gum stump in which is Caroline Smith and Dr. Bagwell's corner lines; thence following the same line to a line gum, then S. 16 E., 2.25 ch. to a pine; thence N. 84 E., 2.47 ch. to a corner stub in Mrs. David Beaton's line; thence N. 12 E., 7.31 ch. along a line of marked trees to a road leading from the house to the main road; thence N. 12 E., 2.31 ch. along a line of marked trees crossing a pond to the main road, beginning at a point at the end of said ditch and running a little southerly through the woodland of the said David Beaton, to a straight line to the Hodge's Ferry road, the width of 24 feet, it being the same land that was conveyed to Lloyd B. Bunting by the deed of Lloyd Grant and others, bearing date the 5th of September, 1893, reserving the old burying ground located on said tract to the grantors; also a certain other tract of land adjoining the one above described, and which, with the one above described, is bounded by land of Lloyd B. Bunting, on the south by the Hodge's Ferry road, on the west by the lands of Lloyd B. Bunting, and on the east by the lands of Mary Beaton, containing by estimation 50 acres, more or less, and being the same land that was conveyed to the said Lloyd B. Bunting by the deed of Lloyd B. Bunting, executor, etc., dated the 29th of October, 1877. The two above described tracts will be sold as one. Possession given 1st of January, 1900.

2d, LOTS numbered 22 and 23, in block 3, on the plan of Brighton, which were conveyed to the said Lloyd B. Bunting, by the deed of J. T. Griffin and others, trustees, dated August 16, 1890.

3d, A certain first cash, the residue in equal installments, payable one and two years, respectively, after date of sale, with interest from date of sale, for which deferred payments—bond with good security, other than mere personal security—shall be given by the purchaser, with the option to the purchaser to anticipate the payment thereof, to pay all of said purchase money cash and the title reserved until the further order of the court.

FRANK L. CROCKER, Special Commissioner.

I hereby certify that the bond required by the above decree has been given. Teste: L. M. SILVERTER, C. C. SE-21.

OUR FALL OPENING

OF

Imported and Domestic

Hats and Bonnets

Wednesday---Thursday

27th---28th.

ANNIE L. STOKES

406 CRAWFORD ST.

FOR RENT.

Dohannon & Blick having removed to No. 218 South street, offer for rent at a low figure the warehouses No. 319 High and No. 507 Crawford street. Apply to BOHANNON & BLICK, SE-21.

SMALL HAMS

are hard to get, but I have just received some fine ones, and am selling them very close—some Smithfield by name; some by nature. Fine Smithfield Breakfast Bacon also. Am receiving Fall Fruits, canned and dried, foreign and domestic.

E. R. BARKSDALE, BOTH PHONES. 129 COURT ST.

GENUINE VALUES AT THE

NEW YORK CLOTHING COMP'NY.

We're going to have a special selling here to-morrow that is bound to be of interest to you. We want you to visit our store—we'll be glad of the opportunity to show you through our stock whether you wish to purchase or not, and then again we will pay you for coming. Below are a few of the good things we're offering—everyone is a money-saver—and there's lots of others of equal importance.

Men's Suits.

Men's good-wearing All-wool Cheviot Suits—very well made and nicely finished—single and double-breasted styles—well worth \$7.50—\$5.00

Men's Fine All-wool Suits, in neat and nobby Cheviots and Cassimeres—splendidly made and trimmed as well as any \$10.00 suit elsewhere—\$7.50

A large lot of Men's Finely Tailored All-wool Suits, in scores of the newest and most fashionable effects—single and double-breasted styles—\$10.00—a regular \$15 value for... \$12.00

Men's Finest All-wool Cheviot, Cassimere and Worsted Suits, such as you would pay the merchant tailor \$20 for—the newest and most select patterns—wonderful value \$12.00

Men's Pants.

Men's All-wool Pants, in good serviceable patterns—worth \$2.00—\$1.48

Men's Stylish Fancy Worsted Pants—in neat stripe and check—effect—worth \$3.00—for... \$1.98

Boys' Suits.

Boys' Double Breasted Cheviot Suits—strictly all-wool—in a number of good-wearing patterns—made with double seats and knees, elastic waistbands, etc.—worth \$3.00—for \$1.98

Boys' All-wool Suits, in a variety of plain and fancy patterns in Cheviots and Cassimeres—both light and dark effects—worth \$3.50—for... \$2.50

Boys' Fine All-wool Cheviot and Cassimere Suits, carefully made and sewed throughout with silk—have double seats and knees, "stay there" buttons and patent elastic waistbands—a great bargain for... \$2.98

Boys' very nobby all-wool Suits, in the newest check, plaid and mixture effects, elegantly trimmed, extra buttons for coat, and pants made with double seats and knees—\$3.50 value for... \$3.48

Boys' Knee Pants

Boys' very well made Knee Pants, in several good-wearing patterns—sizes 4 to 15 years—for... 25c

Hundreds of styles of Boys' Knee

Pants, in all-wool Cheviot effects—made with double seats and knees, elastic waistbands and taped seams—ages 3 to 16 years. Regular 75c. value for... 50c

Furnishings.

Children's Windsor Bows, in all the newest fall effects—full size—23c for... 7 1/2 c

Men's Half Hose, in black and tan shades—guaranteed fast colors—for... 25c

Men's Negligee Shirts, with collars and cuffs—guaranteed fast colors—kind—for Monday only... 50c

Men's Fall and Winter Weight Underwear, in natural, camel's hair and other shades—such as you pay 75c. for elsewhere—for... 50c

Boys' Fleece-lined Underwear—Shirts and Drawers—all sizes—worth 50c.—for... 25c

Top Coats.

Boys' Nobby All-wool Coat Top Coats—made just like the men's—the \$5.00 kind—for... \$3.98

Men's Well All-wool Top Co